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SATURDAY, OCT. 8, 1892

## Locals.

Read the BEE.

Mrs. Rattley of S. C., the mother of Mr. Rattley of Florida avenue, is spending awhile with her son.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawyer Daniels are house-keeping at 308 S. Carolina St. Baltimore.

Hon. B. K. Bruce left the city for Plainfield, N. J., from there he will visit New York city on business.

Hon. H. C. C. Astwood of San Domingo, was in the city this week. He left Tuesday night for New York where he will take the stump for the democratic party.

Mr. Wm. Mallory of Hampton arrived here last Tuesday morning to enjoy the week's festivities of the B. M. C.

Mrs. Johnson of Chicago and Miss Dorsey of Philadelphia are spending a fortnight as the guests of Miss Babe Jackson of 17th st.

Mr. Geo. S. Countee of Denver, Col., formerly of this city, arrived in Washington last week as a delegate to represent the Rocky Mountain Lodge No. 203.

Miss Mabel Robinson of York, Pa., has been spending a pleasant time in our town, as the guest of Miss Bertie Brooks of 419 1st St.

The marriage of Miss Marion Gray to Mr. Allen was solemnized at her residence last Tuesday evening, in the presence of a large number of friends.

Mrs. Bell Tolin of Jersey City, N. J., was in the city this week on a visit and was the guest of Mrs. Franey 469 N St. n. w. She left for her home Friday afternoon.

UNFURNISHED ROOM: 437 Franklin street, n. w. Convenient for man and wife.

Mr. Thomas H. Carter, of this city, now messenger at the National republican headquarters in New York is working hard for republican success. He has raised a large club in the 17th assembly district and it numbers 400. Mr. Carter is a good worker and a fine organizer.

Mrs. Robert S. Williams, nee Willie Nicholas, her infant son and Miss Ruth Halsey who have been the guests of the Hilyers, on Howard Hill, left Tuesday night for Augusta, Ga., their home.

Mrs. Stephen B. G. Beon, of J. R. Jones and Robert G. Still of Philadelphia, Pa., were in the city this week attending the B. M. C.

Hon. W. A. Plenger of Ga., is in the city.

## BEE SHOTS.

Mrs. W. H. Heard is one of the most amiable lady's in this country.

Miss Bessie L. Henderson was on all sides. Miss Bessie did not know where she stood.

Be sure to consult Emma, ex-Gypsy queen, clairvoyant and astrologist; a life long student of occultism 923 First st. s. w.; hours 1 to 7 p. m. fee 50c. Open Sundays.

## PRINTER WANTED.

A good printer can find permanent employment at this office by applying at once. Good wages to the night party.

## DOROTHY'S PRESENT.

A REALLY "REAL" AMERICAN GIFT TO AN AMERICAN BRIDE.

A Pretty Story Which Will Interest All Brides, Past, Present and Prospective. Of Course No Horrid Man Should Read It.

So she was to be "married on the 14th" and I was "invited to be present." I knew it, for I was to be her bridesmaid, and we had spent weeks and months in planning it all, from the most insignificant ruffle to the very veil itself. But here was documentary evidence of it—a formal invitation.

Then it occurred to me that my wedding offering was still unselected. I must have been waiting for a special dispensation, I think, for I longed to give her something real—really real. Something bright and pure and sparkling and dainty and useful, like herself. And my income, compared with my aspirations, was ridiculously small, as it so often happens. But no one would think of Dorothy and "imitation" in the same breath. My gift must be "sparkling." Glass or china then. "Pure." White of course. "Useful." Cups and saucers. Exactly! And they ought to be Belleck, but that costs so much. Dorothy had asked the price of a beautiful imported cup at a pretentious shop on Fifth avenue, near Thirtieth street, and we felt like thieves for even touching it when the attendant said the price was \$6.25 for one. No, the outlook was not encouraging, but there's "nothing like trying again," as my grandmother used to say, and I started for town at once.

"I would like to see some white Belleck cups," I said to an attendant in a fashionable store not far from Broadway. "Certainly," and he took from a glass case the dearest little, pure white, scintillating bit of a cup with a gold brim and as light as a feather. It was my dream materialized, and I almost screamed with delight when he let me hold it. "This," he explained, "is American china." "Oh, dear, how provoking," said I, almost letting the bijou tumbler fall. "I want it real—not any American stuff." I think his eyes twinkled, but he replied very gravely and politely: "This is real. You doubtless know (clever man) that Belleck is the name of a town in Ireland where this ware was first produced. The proper clays are found in this country in abundance, and ten years ago ex-Congressman J. H. Brewer, of New Jersey, paid a man three times as much as he was receiving in Ireland to come here and work for him. Other potters, who pay their workmen as good wages, have found out the secret since, and there is no more delicate china made in the world than some we get from Trenton, and none so cheaply sold in the United States as the American."

"Well, I should think that American potters must be very good men to pay their workers three times as much as they could get in Europe, but how can they afford it?"

"The protective tariff,"

"You are going to tell me about that McKinley bill."

"Do you object to it?"

"Oh, I don't know anything about it, really; but it must be a very good or a very bad thing, people talk about it so much."

"Here are the facts; you shall judge of its 'goodness' or 'badness' yourself: The McKinley bill forces the foreign potter to pay sixty cents for the privilege of selling 100 cents' worth of decorated china in this country—that is, there is a tariff of 60 per cent. on that class of goods. This is so that the workman here may be paid sixty cents more for a dollar's worth of work than are the same class of people in Europe. That enables our working potters to live better and happier lives than do those in Europe, and brings a class of men among us who are encouraged to produce the most artistic results. There is so much competition among the native potters that the price to customers is low. The price is eighty cents each."

"Eighty cents and real, and I saw an imported one for \$6.25! Well, I think the McKinley bill is a very good thing indeed. Give me half a dozen of them right away, please." It seemed so wonderful that by buying this cup, which was the very thing I wanted, for eighty cents, instead of paying \$6.25 for an imported one, I was helping one of my own countrymen and his family to live three times as well as they could do in Europe.

It had never before occurred to me that that tariff had anything to do with us girls. I thought it was all about tin pans—plate, I mean—and it seemed to me then and now that if we began our encouragement at home "charity beginnings" would take care of themselves. Why, it is so simple I feel as if I must take a hand at voting happiness and comfort to working people.

I went home with a light heart. I had found what I was looking for and much more. With a yard of white satin and another of rose colored I covered a case for the precious cups. My present cost \$6.50, cups and all. This note came from Dorothy:

Hester, you dear girl—it's the prettiest and daintiest thing I have had. But you shouldn't have spent so much money on me. Ned says it makes him think of me, being pink and white and bright, and—but he says a good many perfectly absurd things anyway. I am so happy about everything, and so pleased with your gift. It's just what I wanted most. You must show me how you make that delicious tea, and we will christen my beautiful china together. Always yours, DOROTHY.

There! I say, and so will Dorothy, when I tell her my experience. "Long may the protective tariff wave." We girls are not ungrateful to our Uncle Samuel if we but understand what he is doing for our happiness. Dorothy and I heard too much about abstract "patriotism" and too little about "American china" and other homely things, I presume, during that "finishing" process.

GRACE ESTHER DEWEY.

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LOUIS J. WINSTON, Chief Manager Mississippi Co-Operative and Benefit Association, Natchez, Miss.

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A. G. CAMPBELL, President Safe Deposit and Trust Co., Natchez, Miss.

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The General Board of Directors includes members from Virginia West Virginia, New York, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Washington, D C., North Carolina, Maryland, Alabama and Texas.

In less than six months of vigorous work it declares a dividend of Twenty (20) per cent to its members. This is an Association organized by the colored people, run by them and their interest.

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A LARGE BRANCH STORE AT CLIFTON FORGE, VA., with a full line of Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes, Crockery, Hardware and Groceries and a corp of polite clerks to wait upon their many customers.

## A LARGE COMMISSION HOUSE

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## BROOM AND CIGAR FACTORY

will soon be in active operation giving employment to our own people. The management is making strenuous efforts to put in operation in the near future Iron and Coal Mines as we have thousands of miners who are members of the Association.

## DRY GOODS STORES.

Several dry goods stores centrally located will be put in operation in the fall, at least by December 1st. One will be located at Washington, D. C., one at Charleston, West Virginia, one at Lynchburg, Va., and one in Richmond, Virginia, or possibly in other sections as the managers are determined by God's help to push the Association to the front and start up business in every place where the people interest themselves and take shares in the Association. This also being a Building and Loan Association it has already made loans on real estate in Virginia and North Carolina.

## BENEFITS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Remember the shares of this Association are five dollars each. Any person can purchase any number of these shares not exceeding one thousand. The stockholders are the sole owners of the Association. The money that is made in all of the various departments is summed up and the expenses deducted and the profits divided among the stockholders each and every year. Reliable and energetic agents wanted in every city and town in the United States. Address all communications to J. H. Blackwell, Secretary and General Manager, 718 E. Broad Street, Richmond, Va., or apply to Charles E. Mitchell, room 11, 934 F Street, n. w.

## AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL FAIR.

We are arranging to have the largest Fair on the 13th, 14th and 15th of Sept., 1892, ever held by the colored people in any section. It is hoped every farmer, teacher and public man will arouse his people and let us come together and show to the world what we can do as a race. Now let the farmers, mechanics, miners and all get ready for this great enterprise.